Indiana's Highly Qualified Teacher Requirements Out-of-State Teachers

A teacher who has met the Highly Qualified (HQ) requirements in another state may be counted as HQ in Indiana.

If a teacher from out-of-state has passed a rigorous state licensing exam equivalent to the PRAXIS II or the National Teacher Exam (NTE) for the Core Academic Subject (CAS) and has both a bachelor's degree and a valid teaching license, the school corporation may count this teacher as HQ. Verification must be provided by using the "Out-of-State HQT Verification Form."

Accordingly, if the out-of-state teacher has earned 100 points by the end of the 2006-07 school year for the CAS on the out-of-state HOUSSE rubric and has both a bachelor's degree and a valid teaching license, the school corporation may count this teacher as HQ. Verification must be provided by using the "Out-of-State HQT Verification Form."